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PATENT APPLICATION

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Applicants : Brader, et al.

Serial No. : 08/484,542

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For : STABILIZED ACYLATED INSULIN

**FORMULATIONS** 

Docket No. : X-10097 Group Art Unit:

1813

Examiner: Allen

## REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

this reply.

In an Office Action mailed 25 June 1997, the Examiner rejected Claims 1-12, 25, and 26, the only claims pending in this application. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in light of the remarks in

Applicants thank Examiner Allen for meeting with their representatives in her office on December 17, 1997 so that the pertinence of the Havelund reference could be fully explained, and so that other matters relating to the reply and to a possible interference with Havelund could be discussed.

Applicants include with this reply two additional references on a Form 1449 for consideration by the Examiner. As mentioned during the Office interview, these references were cited to the European Patent Office in the European application corresponding to Havelund. Applicants also

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